FCC Request for Waiver BOWLING GREEN SCH DISTRICT R 1 – BEN 136939 – FY2017

February 13, 2018

Federal Communications Commission
Office of the Secretary
445 12th Street, SW
Room TW-A325
Washington, DC 20554 (submitted electronically via ECFS)

Request for Waiver – CC Docket Nos. 96-45 and 02-6

Form 471Number(s): 171048865 and 171048866

Funding Request Number (FRN): 1799111640 and 1799111641

Funding Year: 2017-2018

Billed Entity Name: Bowling Green Sch District R1

BEN: 136939

Contact Information:

Contact Person Name: Don Dietrich Contact Person Phone: 314-378-1667 Contact Person Fax: 636-692-5958

Contact Person E-Mail: ddietrich@e-rateprofessionals.com

Decision being appealed: Out of Window notification for FY2017

Background: The person who filed our Form 471's for Fy2017 - certified them less than 10 minutes after the deadline. He has been on FMLA for quite some time and the district just retained a new consultant to assist with E-Rate matters moving forward. We are requesting a waiver for these two Form 471's - Application # 171048865 and 171048866.

Summary and Requested Action: We request the FCC to grant our Waiver Request based on economic needs. We have attached the Customer Service Case from SLD and a Signed LOA. We appreciate your time and consideration.

Sincerely,

(filed electronically via SLD website)
Don Dietrich, E-Rate Consultant to BGSD

Telephone: 314-378-1667

ddietrich@e-rateprofessionals.com

Included below:

Att 1: SLD Out of Window Customer Service Case #221798

Att 2: Signed LOA for Don Dietrich

(submitted electronically via ECFS)

Records / Customer Service Cases

#221798 - Fy2017 Out of Window Waiver Request



Summary

News

Related Actions

Case Details

Topic FCC Form 471 - Other

Status Closed Priority High

Inquiry Type Web

Form Type FCC Form 471

Form Number 171048865171048866

Created By Donald Dietrich

Created On 2/8/2018 11:31 AM EST

Organization BOWLING GREEN SCH DISTRICT R 1

Case Description

Description The person who filed our Form 471's for Fy2017 - certified them less than 10 minutes after the deadline. He has been on FMLA for quite some time and the district just retained a new consultant to assist with E-Rate matters moving forward. Can we request a waiver for these two Form 471's - or do we have to file an appeal. The 471's are Applicaitn # 171048865 and 171048866.

Case Artifacts

Documents

Name	Uploaded By	Upload Date
	No items available	

Attachments

Attachment	Attachment Type
No items available	

Case Thread

User	Note	Date
USAC	Donald, If you have missed the FY2017 Form 471 Filing Window deadline, there is not an available procedure to request an extension from USAC; however, you can submit a waiver request to the FCC. A waiver is a request to waive an FCC policy, rule, or deadline such as the FCC Form 471 application filing window deadline. For example, if you missed the filing deadline for FCC Form 471 because of extenuating circumstances, USAC cannot waive the deadline but you can ask the FCC to waive the rules in your case by filing a waiver request with the FCC.	2/8/2018 2:22 PM EST
	Please submit your Form 471 as soon as possible and then submit your waiver request to the FCC as soon as possible after your form is submitted. Additional information and instructions can be found under the heading "Submitting Window Waivers" in the July 29, 2016 News Brief found here: http://www.usac.org/sl/tools/news-briefs/preview.aspx?id=710 For assistance with using ECFS, please contact the ECFS Help Desk at 202-418-0193 or via email at ECFSHelp@fcc.gov.	

User	Note	Date
	If you have any additional questions or concerns, you may reopen the case and add a note. If the case cannot be reopened, please create a new customer service case or contact the Client Service Bureau at 888-203-8100.	

Case Contact

Case Contact Donald Dietrich

E-Rate LOA (Letter of Agency)

To Whom It May Concern:

We have retained Donald Dietrich of E-Rate Professionals under contract as an Independent Consultant to assist the district in working with E-Rate issues for Funding Year 2018 and all prior years in all areas of Telecommunications, Internet Services, Internal Connections and Maintenance. He will be assisting us with compliance issues, forms preparation and other areas of our E-Rate funding program as required. His contact information is shown below:

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e-mail: <u>ddietrich@E-RateProfessionals.com</u> SLD Consultant Registration #: 16062265

This LOA will remain in effect from the date of signing through September 30, 2018.

Signature of District Authority:

Printed Name / Title:

Applicant Name: BOWLING GREEN SCH DISTRICT R 1

Billed Entity Number: 136939